

**Scituate Harbor Cultural District Meeting Minutes**  
**Thursday, August 19, 2021 9AM**

**Via Zoom**

*In attendance:*

Marie Flaherty, Patrice Maye, Michele Seghezzi, Steve Litchfield, Janet Cornacchio, Michele Wood, Sue DiPesa

Meeting called to order at 9:04 AM.

Marie Flaherty, Chair, provided an update on the sale of buoys. The buoys will be displayed in the harbor beginning September 3<sup>rd</sup> and will run through September 12<sup>th</sup> when the final auction will be held at the Inn at Scituate Harbor. A merchants meeting was recently held and they are lining up artist demos – Rock lady, authors, and artist Sally Dean will bring her paper mache puppets.

Sue DiPesa, EDC asked if there will be an online availability for the buoy auction. It's possible that a Facebook live can be done for the final bidding – Marie Flaherty will explore.

Ken Swart booked the band to play next to Hibernian. The Scituate high school hockey boosters are looking for an area to clean and perhaps this might be a good opportunity.

All events will be promoted through the Scituate Harbor Business Association and Art Walk Facebook page with a schedule posted.

Janet Cornacchio will try to get one her artists to demo at the Scituate Arts Association and hopefully stay open until 8 PM. All retailers are being encouraged to stay open later.

Patrice Maye submitted the Scituate Harbor Cultural District annual report. She will be available to present the ArtWalk special event application to the Select Board on Tuesday, August 24<sup>th</sup>.

The Board discussed having Ken Swart join the board as he's been a great asset booking the bandstand series.

The Satuit Band started playing at the Bandstand on Wednesday evenings and there was some confusion with the signage. The Cultural District will include them next year in all the promotional materials.

**Move to approve the August 5, 2021 Minutes, motion by P. Maye, second by M. Flaherty (Unanimous)**

Next Meeting set for Thursday, September 2, 2021 at 9:00 AM via zoom.  
Motion to adjourn at 10:02 AM.

**Respectfully Submitted,**

**Michele Seghezzi, Recorder**